State of Arizona Senate Forty-sixth Legislature Second Regular Session 2004

SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION 1051

A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION

ON THE DEATH OF LEROY A. PALMER

LeRoy A. Palmer, a former member of the Senate, passed away on November 19, 2003 at the age of ninety-two.

An Arizona native and lifelong resident, Roy Palmer was born in St. Johns and lived most of his life in Taylor. He attended Arizona State College in Flagstaff, now Northern Arizona University, and Utah State University.

Roy Palmer devoted his life to agriculture, public service, his church and his family. He was a rancher, dairy farmer and farm implement dealer. He gave generously of his time and resources in the service of his community and state. He served over sixteen years on the Snowflake union high school board. He was a founding member of the Taylor water system. In 1970 he was elected to the state Senate, serving as chairman of the agriculture and livestock committee and as a member of the natural resources, transportation and public health and welfare committees. Roy Palmer was elected to the Navajo county board of supervisors in 1972. He served on the Taylor town council for ten years including eight years as mayor of Taylor. He was appointed to the oil and gas conservation commission by governor Bruce Babbitt. He was active in and served on many other state, regional and local commissions, committees and organizations. He devoted a lifetime in serving in virtually all organizations of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints, including bishop of two wards and over thirteen years in the Snowflake stake presidency. In all of his pursuits, he gave freely of his energy and abilities and was a friend and mentor to countless acquaintances.

Roy Palmer was devoted to his family and was preceded in death by his wife of fifty years and by one daughter. He will be greatly missed by his surviving family members, including his wife, Ruth, children Arvin, Sybil, Phyllis, Steve and Fred, twenty-six grandchildren and twenty-three great-grandchildren. Therefore

Be it resolved by the Senate of the State of Arizona, the House of Representatives concurring:

That the Members of the Legislature sincerely regret the passing of Roy Palmer and extend condolences to his family and many friends.

PASSED BY THE HOUSE FEBRUARY 25, 2004.

PASSED BY THE SENATE FEBRUARY 25, 2004.

FILED IN THE OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE FEBRUARY 26, 2004,

READ IN FULL AND UNANIMOUSLY ADOPTED

Passed the House February 25, 2004

Speaker of the House

Speaker of the House

READ IN FULL AND UNANIMOUSLY ADOPTED

Secretary of the Senate

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT OF ARIZONA OFFICE OF SECRETARY OF STATE

This Bill was received by the Secretary of State

this 210 day of February, 2004

nt 2:34 o'clock P. M.

Secretary of State